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wherein the chemically embossed portion of the first layer has a depth greater than any embossed portion of the second layer, and  
wherein said second layer is a wear layer.

**REMARKS**

Claims 25, 26, 33-46 and 48-52 are currently pending in this application. Applicants have added new claims 48-52 to more particularly define their invention. Support for this amendment can be found in the specification and claims as originally filed. Applicants respectfully request formal examination of this application and allowance of the pending claims at the Examiner's convenience.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this amendment and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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